

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Paul R. Goldberg et al.		
Title:	Modifying Audio Signals to Cause Significant Degradation When Compressed and Decompressed (as amended)		
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated April 3, 2006.

Claim Amendments are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Specification Amendments begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

Reconsideration is kindly requested in light of the following amendments and remarks.